

EXHIBIT 8

IN RE: NATIONAL)
4 PRESCRIPTION) MDL No. 2804
OPIATE LITIGATION)
5 _____) Case No.
) 1:17-MD-2804
6)
THIS DOCUMENT RELATES) Hon. Dan A.
7 TO ALL CASES) Polster

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1 QUESTIONS BY MR. EPPICH:

2 Q. The DEA doesn't use the federal
3 sentencing guidelines to evaluate
4 registrants' suspicious order monitoring
5 programs, correct?

6 MR. FINKELSTEIN: Scope.

7 Vague.

8 THE WITNESS: Yes. Correct.

9 QUESTIONS BY MR. EPPICH:

10 Q. Correct that they do not?

11 A. Do not.

12 Q. Thank you, sir.

13 Now, when you were training
14 diversion investigators, did you ever
15 instruct diversion investigators to rely on
16 the federal sentencing guidelines to evaluate
17 registrants' suspicious order monitoring
18 programs?

19 MR. FINKELSTEIN: Scope.

20 THE WITNESS: No.

21 MR. EPPICH: Thank you. Let's
22 go off the record.

23 VIDEOGRAPHER: Going off
24 record. The time is 4:21.

25 (Off the record at 4:21 p.m.)